

NEWS OF CHECK OF ENEMY AT VERDUN RAISED HOPES WHICH ARE SHATTERED BY REPORTS

In Battle Lasting Almost Two Weeks Austrians Suffer Terrible Losses at One Place Alone 12,000 Being Killed—Thousands of Prisoners Taken as Well as 200 Guns—Fighting Again Starts in Belgium—Steady Germans are Completing Half Circle Around Antwerp—Ready Response to Queen's Appeal for Funds to Provide Work for Women.

London, Sept. 5.—What was described as arrowhead of the German army, which has been slowly forcing its way through the Anglo-French armies toward Paris, has made further progress, according to the German official report issued today, and has now driven the allies back behind Comé.

La Fere has been captured without resistance, says the German statements, and with the exception of (name deleted) which is not being attacked, and Maubeuge, which the Germans have masked, the outpost forts are now in the hands of the invader's cavalry. Raids, too, are being made in the direction of the Paris fortifications, which will, if the German accounts are correct, be the next step of the allied armies.

This news was a great disappointment here, where earlier official reports from Paris to the effect that the Germans had suffered a check near Verdun led to the hope that the advance had at last been stopped.

In Lorraine and the Vosges region, the German forces were weakened to strengthen their right flank, the French appear to be holding their own, if not making an advance.

The allies take some consolation from the fact that the Russian defeat of the Austrians around Lemberg, which town has fallen into the hands of the Russian emperor's army, with its immense stock of war material and provisions, is apparently complete. The possession of Lemberg gives the Russians a base from which they can work and from which they can attack in the rear the Austrian army, which has been invading Russian territory.

In a battle lasting almost a fortnight the Austrians have suffered terrible losses, 12,000 having fallen in one place alone, while the Russian general claims to have taken thousands of prisoners and 200 guns. The Austrian retreat, it appears from official advisers, has been turned into a rout.

Belgium, which saw so many battles during the early stages of the war, is again the scene of fighting. German advisers indicate that the Germans are completing a half circle around Antwerp.

Information has reached England that seven of the German destroyers which the British fleet engaged off Heligoland Bight and which escaped in a damaged condition when three cruisers and two destroyers were sunk having reached Kiel. Others were not badly injured that they went down without reaching that port.

A speech of Premier Asquith, who has started a campaign in which all political leaders are taking part to further stimulate recruiting, was the most stirring heard in England in many a day. Its effect has been almost immediate, as the recruiting stations were crowded all last evening. Besides the Princes of Wales' fund for the relief of the dependents of soldiers, other funds have been raised for those who have been thrown out of work.

Second Casualty List is Issued of Officers in the British Army

London, Sept. 5.—The following casualty list of officers was issued by the war office last night:

Killed.
Bowie, L. D. E., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Brett, Lt.-Col. C. A. H., D.S.O., Suffolk Regiment.
Clark, L. B. L. H., Worcester Regiment.
Clutterbuck, Capt. H., Royal Lancaster.
Crichton, Major H. F., Irish Guards.
Dawes, Captain W. R. A., Wiltshire Regiment.
Day, Lt. A. F., Royal Engineers.
Dykes, Lt.-Col. A. M., Royal Lancasters.
Hoare, Second Lt. C. M., 15th Hussars.
Lambton, Lt. G. C., Coldstream Guards.
Nisbett, Capt. J. M., Manchester Regt.
Stapleton, Maj. E. J. C., Royal Field Artillery.
Noble Perkins, Lt. G. S., Royal Lancasters.
Thobald, Captain F. G., Royal Lancasters.
Ward, Captain A. C., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Whittle, Lt. C. H. S., 15th Hussars.

Wounded.
Allen, Major Gordon Highlanders.
Avis, Lt. and Quartermaster C. J., 16th Lancasters.
Baird-Douglas, Second Lt. A. S. D., Royal Lancaster Regt.
Bass, Sec. Lt. C. H., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Benson, Capt. J. P., East Surrey Regt.
Bisset, Second Lt. F. W. L., Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
Blakeway, Maj. H. N., D.S.O., Middlesex Regiment.
Boyd, Capt. C. F., Leinster Regt.
Bradfield, Lt. L. A., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Brown, Lt. G. H., Wiltshire Regt.
Horton, Second Lt. W. E. N., South Lancaster Regt.
Carrington, Second Lt. S. F., Wiltshire Regiment.

Carrier, Lt. C. H., Royal Lancaster Regiment.
Chapley, Maj. H. R., Royal Irish Rifles.
Chichester, Major W., Worcester Regiment.
Corbett, Major, Lancashire Fusiliers.
Davenport, Capt. J. A., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Davies, Capt. C. M., Rifle Brigade.
Deane, Capt. P. O. E., East Lancashire Regiment.
Elliot, Capt. H. R., Worcester Regt.
Ewart, Major G. E. H., South Lancashire Regiment.
Glendon, Lt. W., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Grover, Capt. W. C., Lancaster Regt.
Grice, Sec. Lt. R. L., Lancaster Fusiliers.
Higgins, Capt. T. R. C., Royal Lancasters.
Hill, Lt. D., Royal Field Artillery.
Hopkins, Maj. E. J., Royal Engineers.
Irvine, Lt. R. C., Royal Lancaster.
Johnston, Lt. A., Worcester Regt.
Lloyd, Capt. E. R., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Loder, Reynolds Lt. W. C., Wiltshire Regiment.
MacSwain, Lt.-Col. M. L., 16th Lancasters.
Marston, Lt. R. E., Royal Horse Artillery.
Matthew, Lt. J. D., Royal Lancaster.
Moorey, Second Lt. W. M., First Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
Morris, Lt.-Col. Hon. G. H., Irish Guards.
Nixon, Capt. J. A., Royal Lancaster Regiment.
Paterson, Lt.-Col. A., Fifth Lancashire Regiment.
Phillips, Second Lt. V. M. G., Suffolk Regiment.
Pennyson, Capt. G. M., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Roffey, Capt. H. B., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Rogerson, Second Lt. J. C., 15th Hussars.
Rowan, Capt. P. S., Wiltshire Regt.

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Rowlett, Second Lt. W. J., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Saville, Second Lt. F. C. B., Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
Scott-Kerr, Brig.-Gen. R. C. B., M.V.O., D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.
Sheldrake, Capt. R. T., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Sparsberg, Capt. H. R., Royal Lancaster Regiment.
Spence, Capt. H. P., Middlesex Regt.
Starkie, Lt. O. G. T., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Swinton, Lt. G. E., East Surrey Regiment.
Thobald, Capt. M. C. W., D.S.O., Manchester Regiment.
Tavistock, Capt. J. D. E., South Lancashire Regiment.
Underhill, Lt. W. A., Worcester Regt.
Walwyn, Capt. F. J., Royal Welsh Fusiliers.
Wilkinson, Second Lt. J. D., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Wright, Capt. T., Royal Engineers.
Wynyard, Lt. D., East Surrey Regiment.
Wells, Lt. R. P., 15th Hussars.
Addison, Second Lt. O. J. H., South Lancashire Regiment.
Bolton, Lt. G. L., East Surrey Regiment.

Missing.
Adams, Lt. C., South Lancashire Regiment.
Abrecht, Lt. C. E., Royal Welsh Fusiliers.
Awdry, Second Lt. C. E. V., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Ayton, Lt. R. M. G., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Backhouse, Second Lt. E. H. W., Suffolk Regiment.
Barnardiston, Major S. J., D.S.O., Suffolk Regiment.
Barrett, Capt. P. G., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Bell, Lt. T. H., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Beresford, Capt. C. V., Worcester Regiment.
Berrill, Second Lt. F. C., Suffolk Regiment.
Bislett, Lt. F., South Lancashire Regiment.
Blissell, Lt. N. A., Suffolk Regt.
Brunt, Lt. J. H., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Brodrick, Second Lt. W. C., Manchester Regiment.
Brown, Capt. G. H. J., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Bruce, Capt. H. R., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Burrows, Second Lt. R. P. G., Manchester Regiment.
Butler, Lt. P. P., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Butter, Second Lt. W. E., Manchester Regiment.
Campbell, Capt. R. C., East Surrey Regiment.
Campbell, Capt. Wm., Suffolk Regt.
Chandler, Maj. P. A., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Chate, Lt. F. C., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Connell, H. Rowan, Lt. F. C., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Forster, Second Lt. J. C. B., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Crymble, Capt. P., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Cuttill, Capt. A. M., Suffolk Regt.
Deane-Drake, Lt. C. J. V., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Dennis, Lt. J. E. W., Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
Doughy, Maj. E. C., Suffolk Regt.
Dwyer, Capt. P., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Edmunds, Capt. T. C., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Fowke, Capt. H. C., Manchester Regt.
Gordon, Capt. J. A., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Gower, Lt. T. L., Suffolk Regt.
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Hall, Capt. H. C., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Harvey, Second Lt. R. G. C., Suffolk Regiment.
Hepworth, Capt. L. F., Suffolk Regt.
Hitchinson, Capt. J. S., Lancashire Fusiliers.
Icke, Lt. H. H., South Lancashire Regiment.
Irwin, Second Lt. H. W., South Lancashire Regiment.
James, Second Lt. H. P., Suffolk Regiment.
Jarvis, Capt. N. S., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Johnson, Capt. H. C., King's Royal Rifle Corps.
Kelly, Capt. H. B., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Kennedy, Capt. A. E., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Knox, Capt. H., Manchester Regt.
Lawton, Lt. E. G., East Surrey Regt.
Lee, Second Lt. R. H. M., Worcester Regiment.
Less, Capt. E. F. W., Royal Engineers.
MacLean, Major A. H., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
MacLean, Capt. A. J. H., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Payne, Second Lt. G. H., Suffolk Regiment.
Pearson, Capt. E. E., Suffolk Regt.
Peel, Maj. A. S., Suffolk Regt.
Perrin, Second Lt. F. V. C., Suffolk Regt.
Mansergh, Lt. W. J., Manchester Regt.
Merrill, Lt. W. G., East Surrey Regiment.
Miller, Second Lt. R. T., Manchester Regiment.
Morgan, Second Lt. J. B., Suffolk Regiment.
Morley, Capt. C., Manchester Regt.
Moseley, Lt. R. A. D., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Muirhead, Second Lt. E. G., Suffolk Regiment.
Nelson, Lt. M. K., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Newton, Second Lt. H. A., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Nichols, Second Lt. P. C., Suffolk Regiment.

CHILD WITH FATHER DURING BATTLE FOR LIFE IN THE SKIES

German Airman Takes Six-Year-Old Child With Him, Over English Lines

NON-COMBATANTS APPEAR BE REAL SUFFERERS WAR

People Leaving Towns Carrying Luggage On Their Backs

Arceuil, France, Sept. 5.—The Times correspondent says: "I have just fallen in with a detachment of wounded French soldiers returning from the northern battlefields. One of them gave me his story to read. In its simplicity, its brevity, its revelation of the human individual side of this monstrous war, which is only redeemed by the virtues which still retain its humanity, it seems to me a document of amazing interest. One passage in it will arrest the attention of all readers. It is an extraordinary and almost incredible incident of a German aviator and his tiny child whom he took with him on his mission of death. But I reproduce the whole document now, as I copied it under the shadow, surrounded by the French soldiers. Here, in the review of this sergeant of snipers, is a narrative more eloquent than polished prose of the meaning and business of war. It is not less than interesting because the man's work is to prepare the way for the withdrawal of the French army from point to point.

"August 25.—We started for St. Quentin and arrived in the morning. On the second set out again next morning for a point 12 kilometers behind, at Monseigneur, Lecerolles, in order to mine a bridge.

"We worked all night and returned to St. Quentin, where we did reconnaissance work.

"August 26.—The Germans were signalled and the station at St. Quentin was evacuated. We were directed to maintain order among the crowds which wished to go away. It was a very and spectacle—old women and children weeping and not even trains to serve. At last we got away and destroyed the line and station, destroyed the bridge, already ruined. Arrive in the afternoon at Tergier, slept there and set out on Thursday, the 28th for Chauny and Noyon. Work in the evening to the sound of cannon. It was possible to see the miserable people on the road, with their boxes and their children. In the afternoon we set out from Chauny in the direction of Compiègne, where we arrived in the evening. All along the lines were scattered poor people. We had 12 on our wagon and let them eat our food. We had our own provisions and we gave them to these people.

"August 30.—Stationed at Compiègne, awaiting orders. One hour more clearly the sound of cannon. After the news this morning I write a line. It appears that the Germans had been destroyed at St. Quentin today. We have assisted at a duel between a biplane and an aeroplane. I had nearly seen a German aeroplane which fell in the English lines. The officer in charge of it had with him a child six years old, who was also a German. They were only wounded. After St. Quentin we were with the English headquarters staff."

Contributors Machine Guns.
Woodstock, Sept. 5.—J. E. Boyle, millionaire mining man of Dawson City, formerly of Winnipeg, has contributed four machine guns to the Canadian overseas contingent for France.

O'Malley, Lt. T. F., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
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Reid, Capt. E. H., Suffolk Regt.
Rinton, T. G. I., East Surrey Regt.
Richardson, Lt. W. H., Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
Sime, Capt. G. N., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Smyth, Maj. A. G., Royal Scots Greys.

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Walker, Capt. C. C., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Walker, Capt. A. B., 15th Hussars.
Ward, Second Lt. N. L., East Surrey Regt.
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What the Theater Press Agents Say

A RIPPING COMEDY THE PLAYERS SECOND PRODUCTION.

"Are You a Mason?" is a question that men have been asking each other ever since the building of King Solomon's temple. The comedy "Are You a Mason?" will be presented by the Players theater by The Players on Friday, Friday and Saturday next, with Saturday matinee. The play is from the pen of Leo狄斯頓 and is one of the rushing, rattling, roaring style which compels laughter every minute of its duration.

Frank Perry, a New York business man, is left alone in his apartment when his wife, Eva, goes to Rockford, Illinois, to visit Amos and Mrs. Hildgood, and Eva's two sisters, Lulu and Annie. An Irish cook, Nora, is left with Frank; she has been sent to the Perry's by Mrs. Hildgood and refuses to be discharged. The apartment grows lonesome and Frank takes Pench Amritage and a joyous party out for a ride. Pench is a drink monger and feels like singing. The whole party is taken to night police court. Hamilton Travers, usher at a music hall, witnesses the occurrence and blackmails Perry. George Fisher, former actor, now a stock broker, and Ernest Morrison, a young architect, are in love with Frank's sisters-in-law, Lulu and Annie. Fisher has been turned down by the old folks. Amos has been absenting himself from home, because of the nagging he receives about Ange-

lina, whom he had an affair with before marriage and who wrote a note to him on his wedding day threatening suicide. He claims he attends the lodge of the Free and Accepted order of Masons of which he is grand master. He is not a mason and when he and his family visit New York the fun grows fast and furious with the two frauds giving bogus Masonic signs and tokens. A friend and a master mason visits the family. The friend wishes to be initiated into their non-existent lodge. The mason invites the whole party to a Masonic reception. Meanwhile there is a tangle up in the love affairs of Lulu and Annie. Travers is bleeding Frank because of his night club and deception regarding Masonry. How matters are ironed out by the master mason and the two frauds made real reasons it would be unfair to relate.

PICTURES OF THE WAR OPERATIONS AT PANTAGES.

An unique sight is the offering at Pantages theater next week. From the viewpoint of variety there is everything that could be desired, but it differs from the ordinary run of a vaudeville performance, even to the motion pictures, and the quality is there at the same time.

The headliner for the week is the staging of an old time minstrel show. It will take the audience back to the jolly days of Minstrel and Dicks-trader, for everything which goes into a minstrel show will be included. There will be end men, the interloper, the quartette, which renders with feeling the old classic "Old Black Joe," and all intermingled with snappy jokes. But this time the minstrel show will be presented by "The Eleven Maids of Minskirely," instead of men. This troupe of eleven girls is scoring a hit wherever it presents its entertainment. In South Falls, South Dakota, they answered seven curtain calls at the local house and they have stopped the show at every performance this week in Winnipeg.

The added attraction for the week brings back two people who have amused Canadian audiences for over twenty years. Isabel Fletcher and Charles Ayres will be seen in a dramatic sketch of singular power, entitled "The Amazons." This tells a dramatic story of life northwest of Edmonton with all the vivid color and effects that are known so well to Pantages patrons. Charles Ayres is a well known stock actor and has played in the city before. The couple has been playing the leads in their own stock company in Vancouver for the last five years where they have had a wonderful success and they should score a hit here next week.

The individual bit of the bill without a doubt will be carried away by Hugo act known to vaudeville which is different from the rest. Such an act is a latence. Now and then a man and an "find" and Hugo Latence is just another man, and his act is just such a "find." He will be seen in a Swedish dialect monologue. His biggest success has been scored in the role of the Swedish preacher and in this impersonation he will make his appearance. Too much cannot be said for Latence. His impersonation is not a religious burlesque. Sometimes the accuracy of his impersonation brings a smile but the sacred things of the church are left alone. His twist of the English language is perfect, but it is not entirely this that makes his success. His talk, while funny, is never foolish and contains a good many grains of common sense. In fact his success is due to his wonderful originality and the Pantages producing department knows where it speaks when it says there

ISABEL FLETCHER



With Charles Ayres and Company in the Northern Alberta Playlet, "The Game," at the Pantages next week.

has never been an act like it on the stage before.

The fun is going to be supplied by Edward and Snow. They will be seen in a laughing ventriloquist novelty, while Leon and the Adeline Sisters present a delightful pantomime.

Another feature for the week will be the first and exclusive appearance in Edmonton of pictures of the war, taken at the front. By special arrangement with Pathe's London, the Pantages offers for an indefinite run the Pathe's animated gazette. This is a motion picture telling the latest news by camera and for the first week it is taken up by war news. Throughout the reel will be scenes of a German vessel captured and towed into the harbor of Yarmouth, the French troops crossing the German frontier at Alsace, Hyde Park commandeered for military purposes, army recruits leaving their first day's pay on the House Guards parade, Britain's army mobilizing, the ship "Anson," a British air base, sailing through Kent, and the types of troops and artillery used in the war against Austria.

"THE TRUTH" AT THE LYCEUM FOR THE WEEK.

Can a woman deceive a man and not have to pay the penalty of her deception? Circumstances over which she has no control forces Becky Warder to lie to her husband, innocent ones to her friends. She is continually faced with the truth. How her salvation is worked out and happiness restored to her home is unraveled in the four-act drama, "The Truth," which the Lyceum Players will present next week. This is, without doubt, one of the strongest dramas of everyday life in the average American home that is to be seen explicated on the stage. Its naturalness convinces one that this is a true page from life. The irreligious wife, the model husband and the trouble making "friend" are so realistic that it will make the average person think and think deeply—and will add a lot of respect to the plain, unvarnished truth that all so often forget. Clyde Fitch has contributed many masterpieces to the stage, but in "The Truth" he has surpassed himself, as a writer. The Lyceum next week will convince "The Truth" will appeal to all classes, as there is an excellent line of comedy running throughout. Next week Harold Holland, who has been directing the Lyceum Players for some months, will retire from the cast. Mr. Holland, together with Miss Florence Darling, leave for Los Angeles. They have made many friends in their brief engagement, and it is with regret that the management and patrons of the Lyceum bid them farewell.

There will be an extra matinee Monday, Labor day, at bargain prices for the school children.

ANOTHER NOVELTY FOR BIJOU PATRONS

Another theatrical management is as much of a science in this day as other lines of business. There is a brilliant example at the Bijou. It is the minute theater management is at one of the local picture houses—the Bijou, the 121st street picture house. Last Tuesday over 400 people could not be accommodated because the Bijou auditorium already. It is only filled to overflowing already. It is only natural to enquire what is the reason for all this—what is there that should so compel such marked attention?

A live baby was given away as one of the prizes in the "Country Store" and the lucky expectant winner took home with him a bouncing, healthy, squalling blue-eyed suckling pig. Now comes another original stunt of the already novel and most entertaining program at the Bijou. It is the Pennant Nights, at which every 25th person entering the theater will be given a prize. The prizes are of different lengths and they are being especially manufactured for the Bijou theater.

The nights that have been chosen are Wednesday and Thursday of each week and each week a different pennant will be given away. Just at this time when the pennant prize is so popular, this opportune innovation will

doubleless meet with the same big success as the "Country Store" has met with. Also Amateur night.

It was hardly thought possible for the ingenious manager of the Bijou to introduce any more novelties along with the refined and most pleasing plays that have earned for the Bijou an enviable name among the theaters in the city, but he has "done it again."

KLAW AND ERLANGER PRODUCTIONS AT EMPRESS.

The picture lovers of the city have been furnished of late with a line of photo-plays that for unexcelled finish and merit is distinguishable by even a layman. That are worthy of more than mere mention in these columns. The Klaw and Erlanger films are the ones referred to, exhibited at the Empress theater on the mid-week program.

It is not seldom that feature motion pictures are shown in the city that are of big plot, excellently constructed, impressively set and well acted in addition, but it is seldom the ordinary theatregoers fully appreciate the effect of these advantages. They are only aware that the film that they are watching is a special production either from the gliding advertisements that appear in the front of the theater, or from the extreme length of the film.

However, in these beautiful productions, put out by Klaw and Erlanger, the Empress is exhibiting. The outstanding advantages of the work is readily appreciated even by the most ordinary movie-goer. The examples of the productions of this make already shown are fresh in mind. Take for illustration "Strongheart," the three-reel picture that was shown at the Empress on the program of last Wednesday and Thursday. For powerful, intelligent action, polish and care to every detail in the entire production they have been few equals and no superiors to these masterly films of art in the moving picture line. This is, indeed, a most complimentary, yet only deserving, thing to say of the excellent film.

It is in this manner that one can tell the rapid stride made by the motion picture manufacturers in the production of their work. A few years ago almost anything loving action and some bit of natural setting constituted a movie. The stories contained only a little of logical plot, the characterizations were not expressive in the moving picture sense, as it is interpreted today. Detail and finish was not at all thought of. But now a feature film offering, particularly as those presented by Klaw and Erlanger, which the Empress is showing, is as different as night from day. Everything that goes to make up a polished stage play is availed of, stories are written by the best of authors, the world is scoured for the most adaptable of actors and actresses to enact the various roles, the settings and the stage and playing direction is conducted by experts—the one especially so in these productions for the man who is the director of the Klaw and Erlanger pictures draws an annual salary almost double that which the president of the United States earns today. There is no finer presentation anywhere of a play than that projected on the screen through these marvellously fine releases.

HARD ON PRESS AGENTS

If you don't believe that the war abroad is affecting things this side of the water, consult the press agent. His leading lady might fall out of the window of a ten-story building and he wouldn't get hardly any space on it, because the news columns are filled to overflowing with important news from the field of battle. It is not a situation seen in the office, but one that already exists, horribly real, under the very noses of the publicity men. Just how they are going to meet the exigency remains to be seen. Considerable speculation is afforded, for it is said that there are something over a thousand persons calling themselves press agents in New York alone.

For the blind there has been invented a watch with the hours so marked by raised dots and dashes that it can be read by aid of the sense of touch.

FORD WILL DIVIDE CANADIAN PROFITS WITH THE DEALER

If Production Reaches Point Where Said Profits Will be Actually Made

OUTPUT AIMED AT IS FAIR YEAR AVERAGE

Plan is to Give Out Between \$1,200,000 and \$1,800,000 Next August

The Ford Motor company of Canada, limited, announced August 1 a reduction in the price of Ford cars of 60 per cent, the chance of price to take effect immediately.

The new prices are: Touring car \$350; runabout \$340; town car \$340. All F.O.B. Ford, Ont. These prices prevail in the dominion of Canada only. In addition to this material reduction, which, if the company reaches its estimate, will amount to about \$1,800,000 the Ford company announces a sensational and absolutely unique profit sharing plan for the benefit of retail buyers who purchase Ford cars between August 1, 1914 and August 1, 1915.

In brief, entirely independent of the immediate cut of 60 in price, every new Ford retail buyer in Canada between August 1, 1914, and August 1, 1915, is to receive from 40 to \$60 as his share of the company's profits, sometime in August, 1915, provided the output of the Ford Motor company in Canada, limited, reaches 20,000 cars between the dates named. In other words, Mr. Ford offers to hand over some time next August between \$1,200,000 and \$1,800,000 of the profits to the new Canadian retail buyers if the production reaches a certain figure, which is a fair increase over the business of the last 12 months.

Mr. Ford's offer to Canadian buyers to share in his profits is based on a production figure of 20,000 cars because only with this production will he be able to reduce the cost in his manufacturing and sales departments to make the profits possible. It naturally costs less per car for the same material and supplies if material for a production of 20,000 is purchased instead of material for, say 12,000 cars, the output of the season just closed. It also costs less per car to sell 20,000 cars than it does to sell 12,000 cars. And the difference runs into many hundreds of thousands of dollars which, on this condition, Mr. Ford will share with the new Canadian buyers.

ELsie JAnis' PROTEGE

Elsie Janis has a protegee. On her arrival in London several months ago she brought with her Valentine Harris, a boy ragtime singer she had discovered in San Francisco, and announced that his services could be secured only by negotiating with her as manager. Since then the boy, through her efforts, has sung before the king and queen at a ball given by Grand Duke Michael and before the Dukes of Marlborough, Dukes of Westminster, Lady Curzon, Lady Paetel, Lord Londsdale, and Lady Curzon.

Pittsburgh finds it cannot spend city money on entertaining conventions.

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Lyceum—Lyceum Players in "The Truth," all week at 8:10, with Monday, Wednesday and Saturday matinees at 2:30.
Empress, Bijou and Dreamland—Photo plays all week.
Band concert at Empress Sunday evening.

NEW JOHN DREW PLAY

Charles Frohman, having completed the cast of the John Drew company with the arrival of Ferdinand Gottschalk, called the first rehearsal for Mr. Drew's new play, "The Frolicful Husband," last week at the Empire theater, New York. The piece is a modern

comedy written in collaboration by Dublin Slivendell and Michael Morton, the second of whom is the author of "The Yellow Ticket." Miss Marie Dore will support Mr. Drew in the chief feminine role.

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(See Cap. 20, 1912, Second Session.)

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For registration of a company whose nominal capital exceeds \$20,000, the above fee of \$30 and the following additional fees

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every \$5,000 or part of \$5,000 after the first \$20,000 up to

\$100,000	
For every \$10,000 or part of \$10,000 after the first \$100,000 up to \$500,000	
For every \$100,000 or part of \$100,000 thereafter	

PRESIDENT WILSON APPEALS TO CONGRESS TO RAISE SUM TO MEET WAR EMERGENCY

Washington, D.C., Sept. 4.—Following is the full text of President Wilson's address to congress, assembled in joint session on the need of emergency revenue legislation:

"Gentlemen of the congress: I come to you today to discharge a duty which I wish with all my heart I might have been spared, but it is a duty which is very clear, and, therefore, I perform it without hesitation or apology. I come to ask very earnestly that additional revenue be provided for the government.

"During the month of August there was, compared with the corresponding month of last year, a falling off of \$10,239,525 in the revenues collected from customs. A continuation of this decrease in the same proportion throughout the current fiscal year would probably mean a loss of custom revenues of from sixty to one hundred millions.

"I need not tell you to what this falling off is due. It is due, in part, not to the reductions recently made in the customs duties, but to the great decrease in importations; and this is due to the extraordinary extent of the industrial world as affected by the war in Europe.

"Conditions have arisen which no man foresaw; they affect the whole world of commerce and economic production and they must be faced and dealt with.

"It would be very unwise to postpone dealing with them. Delay in such circumstances in which we now find ourselves as a nation, must involve consequences of the most embarrassing and deplorable sort for which I, for one, would not care to be responsible. It would be very dangerous in the present circumstances to create a moment's doubt as to the strength and sufficiency of the treasury of the United States, its ability to assist, to steady, and sustain.

How to Look Less Than Your Age

There are three golden rules that every woman who would ward off signs of advancing age, should follow:

1. Cultivate cheerfulness. Those who understand the physiological effect of worrying, know this advice should be taken more seriously than it usually is.
2. Whenever the complexion begins to look worn or withered, use ordinary mercurochrome for a week or two. Apply nightly like cold cream, tracing it morning with warm water. This gradually absorbs the thin film of surface skin, revealing the fresher and younger skin underneath. An ounce of this is enough to rejuvenate any complexion.
3. When the tell-tale wrinkles appear, or cheek and chin muscles begin to sag, bathe the face once a day for a while in a solution of powdered ascorbic acid, dissolved in 1/2 pt. of water. This has a remarkable effect in "firming up" and smoothing out the skin.

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who dodge responsibility or are, not frank with them.

"The occasion is not of our own making. We had no part in making it. But it is here. It affects us as directly and palpably almost as if we were participants in the circumstances which give rise to it. We must accept the inevitable with calm judgment, and unflinching spirit, like men accustomed to deal with the unexpected, habituated to take care of themselves, masters of their own affairs and their own fortunes. We shall pay the bill, though we did not deliberately incur it.

"In order to meet every demand upon the treasury without delay or prejudice and in order to keep the treasury strong, unquestionably strong and strong throughout the present anxiety, I respectfully urge that an additional revenue of \$100,000,000 be raised through internal taxes devised in our wisdom to meet the emergency. The only suggestion I take the liberty of making is that such sources of revenue be chosen as will begin to yield at once and yield with a certain and constant flow."

CHICAGO MILLINERY PARLORS HAVE MOST MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY

A millinery opening of more than usual interest to Edmonton ladies, is that of the well-known Shell millinery parlors of Jasper west, which have recently amalgamated with the Chicago Millinery on Namayo Avenue. It is a stock of these two popular millinery stores, in conjunction, present a magnificent showing.

There can now be seen, in the utmost profusion, the world's latest creations in fall millinery, exquisite models imported direct from Paris and London, as well as dozens of stunning models from New York, Chicago and Montreal.

The artistic window display is also well worthy of note, creating a great deal of attraction to passers-by. Opening displays are being shown on Saturday and Monday.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR FIRST AID TO THE INJURED LECTURES HERE

Final arrangements were made at the meeting of class secretaries held Friday night for the course of lectures on "First Aid to the Injured," under the Local Center St. John Ambulance Association.

West End class will meet at 8 o'clock on Tuesday of each week at the Oliver school. Dr. A. P. Anderson will conduct the lectures.

Griffith class will meet at 8 o'clock on Monday of each week at the Y. W. C. A., Third street. Dr. L. C. Chou will conduct the lectures.

Central class will meet at 8 o'clock on Monday of each week at the Y. M. C. A., May street. Dr. Murray Marrow will conduct the lectures.

East End class will meet at 8 o'clock on Tuesday of each week at the Y. M. C. A., corner of Boyle and Namayo streets. Dr. McNutt will conduct the lectures.

South Side class, No. 1, will meet on Wednesday of each week at 8 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A., south side. Dr. L. W. May will conduct the lectures.

South Side class No. 2 will meet on Monday of each week at 8 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A., South Side. Dr. J. A. McPherson will conduct the lectures.

Text books and bandages will be furnished at the first lecture of each class on receipt of the fee of \$1.00.

Two nurses will be in attendance at each of the lectures to assist the doctors in the demonstration work.

Roy Scott Troop leaders are requested to provide two scout leaders for each of the above classes to act as patients and forward the names to the secretary, Mrs. Harcourt, page 2243.

WAVE OF ENTHUSIASM SWEEPS OVER ENGLAND; THOUSANDS ENLISTING

London, Sept. 5.—At midnight from every part of the country reports come of a wave of enthusiasm, recruits are rushing to the colors. Between 300,000 and 500,000 have joined. Two hundred members of leading London clubs yesterday joined the "eleventh hour" movement, which is being formed especially for west and club men. Many professional cricketers are joining. Reports from the north are especially satisfactory. In Glasgow ten thousand already have joined, recruiting continues. The "Pals" battalion composed of young men entering with chums is recruiting and the lord mayor is bearing the whole expense.

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St. John's Thanks.

The St. John's Ambulance association acknowledges with sincerest thanks the following: Mrs. A. M. Dickson, \$25.00; Mrs. J. A. McDougall, a quantity of old linen for dressing; Mrs. Geo. Graydon, 19 dozen bandages; Mrs. H. B. Spratt, 10 yards flannel; Mrs. W. A. Griesbach, a quantity of wool.

At the present time the ladies have run short of material, so that any such contributions as well as any of monetary amounts finding their way to the exchequer of the association will be thankfully received.

Mrs. Campbell, Moose Lake, is in town, the guest of Miss Margaret Cuthbert.

Mrs. W. A. Acton, who has for several weeks been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. J. Richardson, 23rd street, returned to Custer yesterday.

Mrs. J. P. McDonald's many friends will be delighted to hear that she is able to walk a few steps, and it is hoped will be around again next week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Geo. O'Connor are moving into their handsome new home in Kingsford.

Directly afterwards they go east to Ottawa and Kingston.

Miss Edmonston, Clover Bar, who has been staying with Mrs. Edmonston for a few days, returns to "Beechwood" in a day or two.

Oliver Hunt leaves on Saturday for old England, there to join a cavalry squadron of the Inns of Court, and hopes to see active service.

Frank Lee, who acted as best man at the Hicks-Brown nuptials, has returned to Winnipeg.

Jack Hornby, who has been spending a week in town en route from the north, left last night for Quebec and Montreal, to sail in a week's time for London, where he will join a regiment.

STATED AUSTRIANS ARE NOW ASSISTING GERMAN LEFT WING IN ALSACE

Rottterdam Sept. 5.—The latest advice received here from Brussels indicates that although the street cars are still running and trade generally is being carried on calmly, there is growing intense depression. The population is convinced that terrible happenings are imminent. According to an official German source the German government is determined that the occupied country shall feed the army of the invaders to relieve the food pressure in Germany. Large and numerous requisitions are being made.

The German military has reappeared in the vicinity of Brussels and there is a feeling that the invaders need only the faintest excuse to sack the city.

According to a message from Lausanne, large Austrian reinforcements are hurrying to support the German left wing. It is said the Austrians now in Alsace number eight infantry brigades of seven thousand men each, two regiments of cavalry, 19 batteries, and 1,200 men of mixed divisions.

Equip Cavalry Regiment

Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 4.—A movement is on foot in military circles to have the government of Saskatchewan organize and equip for active service, a cavalry regiment. The matter has been before the government since last year. Col. J. A. Aiken, officer in command of the 29th light horse with headquarters at Saskatoon, one of the four cavalry regiments in Saskatchewan.

LOCAL REGIMENT SENDS MORE MEN THAN ANY OTHER

The 101st regiment has given the following reasons as to when and why one should join the Canadian militia:

"When? Now.

"Why? Because every man who joins the militia now swells the ranks. Every man that joins now is one more man to be used as an active object. Every man that joins now is one more man to be used as an active object. Every man that joins now is one more man to be used as an active object.

"Are you a born British subject? Then the God and the King will appreciate the fact by joining the forces and learning how to fight their enemies abroad, or quietening, by moral force, their detractors at home.

"Are you a British subject by naturalization? Then join the forces and show your loyalty to the flag under which you have elected to live and have sworn to support. Show your loyalty by upholding the claim that treaties are to be kept and not treated as waste paper when convenient.

"Do you realize that once more that little British army of volunteer soldiers is covering itself with glory, making itself the terror of its opponents, and that every man who joins the militia makes himself a comrade of the British soldier, no matter how humble.

"If you are married join and prepare to defend your loved ones from harm through riot or act as a supporter of the civil power.

"If you are single and no one is dependent on you, join and go to serve the thousands of others who are going. If you cannot fight you can do garrison duty and relieve others who can.

"Edmonton has already sent more men to the front than any other city in the west. It has sent more men than any other regiment in Canada. Other regiments are recruiting men from the front, as is the 101st. Let Edmonton once more show that she is ahead of the rest.

"If you want to go to the front join the 101st and you will have preliminary training from men who have been qualified for the purpose, and when the time comes for selection you will have the chance to volunteer for the next contingent, besides having the advantage of being already a member of the militia under which the contingent will be raised.

"If you do not want to go, but feel that you can add your active support to the movement and are prepared to settle, then join the 101st. It will give you the civil power, join and learn how it can best be done. When the contingents go you will not be forced to go against your will, but can remain and form a basis on which future contingents, if sent, will be trained.

"The training will give you an occupation for your evenings when you have nothing else to do. It will cost you nothing. The things you learn will be taught you by men left in Edmonton for the purpose of helping themselves learn them in the regiment to which you will belong.

"Every man that joins now and stays with it joins when the empire needs him most, whether his service is done here or at the front."

ALBERTA COLLEGE NOW OPEN FOR SECOND YEAR— NEW COMMERCIAL COURSE

The various departments of Alberta college, north side, resumed work on Tuesday, entering upon the second year of new management under Principal P. S. McCall. Each year since organization it has been much more successful than the preceding year, and although local conditions at the present time are not all that might be desired, yet the registration, from recent indications, is very gratifying.

The name "Alberta College" has now become a household word in the Canadian west. As evidence of this students are today pursuing their various courses from Saskatchewan, northern and southern Alberta, and British Columbia.

The college is to be complimented in that its commercial department is the only one in the west adopting the "Gold Standard" label. It has met with phenomenal success. The excellent results are in a large measure due to the thoroughness of the instruction, followed by an equally careful training in speed practice.

Alberta college specializes in touch typewriting, the only system used in an up-to-date business college. An expert teacher is in charge of the typewriting room, which is equipped with the latest and best machines.

All shorthand students are given a course of office routine to familiarize them with all legal and commercial forms used in the business offices of the city. For this reason Alberta college trained help has always been in great demand.

The college recognizes the importance of good penmanship in its practical work, and aid to training, and has placed this department in the hands of an expert from a New York college. Classes are held on certain evenings of the week, when this subject, as well as the various business subjects are taught.

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